

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
SHERMAN DIVISION**

**HOPE HALLEEN and DONNA MANER,  
individually and on behalf of all others  
similarly situated,**

**Plaintiffs,**

v.

**BELK, INC.,**

**Defendant.**

**CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:16-CV-00055**

**DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO DISMISS OPT-IN PLAINTIFFS JOHN PARHAM  
CHERLE TRIVETT, TERRY ANN ROUSSE, AND CAROLYN MATTHEWS**

Defendant Belk, Inc. (“Defendant” or “Belk”) files this Motion to Dismiss Opt-In Plaintiffs John Parham, Cherle Trivett, Terry Ann Rousse, and Carolyn Matthews and in support of this Motion, Defendant would show the Court as follows:

1. On October 26, 2016, Plaintiffs John Parham and Carolyn Matthews each filed their Consent to Join Form in the above-referenced action.
2. On December 19, 2016, Plaintiff Terry Ann Rousse filed her Consent to Join Form in the above-referenced action.
3. On February 13, 2017, Plaintiff Cherle Trivett filed her Consent to Join Form in the above-referenced action.
4. On June 18, 2018, Plaintiffs’ counsel informed Defendant that at this time John Parham, Cherle Trivett, Terry Ann Rousse, and Carolyn Matthews no longer wish to pursue their claims in this action.

**WHEREFORE**, Defendant respectfully requests that the Court grant this Motion, and dismiss Plaintiffs John Parham, Cherle Trivett, Terry Ann Rousse, and Carolyn Matthews from the action with prejudice.

Dated: June 26, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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